

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on Education**  
**House Committee on Education**  
**Meeting Jointly**

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**Tuesday, September 15, 2015**

**09:00 AM**

**Room A, MAC**

**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Jane English, Chair  
Sen. Uvalde Lindsey, Vice Chair  
Sen. Eddie Joe Williams  
Sen. Alan Clark  
Sen. Bobby J. Pierce  
Sen. Jim Hendren  
Sen. Eddie Cheatham  
Sen. Blake Johnson

Rep. Bruce Cozart, Chair  
Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin, Vice Chair  
Rep. Greg Leding  
Rep. Reginald Murdock  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Justin T. Harris  
Rep. Jon S. Eubanks  
Rep. James Ratliff  
Rep. Jeremy Gillam  
Rep. John W. Walker

Rep. Nate Bell  
Rep. Scott Baltz  
Rep. Charlotte V. Douglas  
Rep. Mark Lowery  
Rep. Mark D. McElroy  
Rep. Charles L. Armstrong  
Rep. Bill Gossage  
Rep. Warwick Sabin  
Rep. Grant Hodges  
Rep. Michael John Gray

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- A. Call to Order – 9:00 A.M.
- B. Remarks by the Chairs
- C. Discussion of the State’s Status Under No Child Left Behind (NCLB) and Related Issues  
**Dr. Ginny Blankenship**, Legislative Analyst, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research  
**Ms. Annette Barnes**, Assistant Commissioner, Public School Accountability, Arkansas Department of Education
- D. Review of the Arkansas Comprehensive School Improvement Plan (ACSIP) Process  
**Dr. Brent Benda**, Senior Research Specialist, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research
- E. Discussion of Issues Related to NSL (Poverty) Funding  
**Ms. Nell Smith**, Administrator, Policy Analysis and Research Section, Bureau of Legislative Research
- F. Other Business
- G. Adjournment

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